

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
KAZUHIRO SUGAWARA ) : Examiner: P.H. Kang  
Application No.: 09/909,015 ) : Art Unit: 2144  
Filed: July 20, 2001 ) : Conf. No.: 9096  
For: COMMUNICATING APPARATUS ) :  
AND COMMUNICATING METHOD : March 22, 2007

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Commissioner for Patents  
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 22, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- Amendments to the claims are presented in the listing starting on page 2; and
- Remarks are presented starting on page 10.